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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

OF COUNSEL URBAN A. LESTER

August 26, 2004

ELIAS C. ALVORD (1942) ELLSWORTH C. ALVORD (1964)

Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Re: N693

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are four (4) copies of Amendment Agreement No. 2, dated as of August 12, 2004, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the documents previously filed with the Commission/Board under Recordation Number 18414.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Lessee:

Consolidated Rail Corporation

2001 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19103

Owner/

Trustee/Lessor:

Wachovia Bank, National Association

One South Broad Street Philadelphia, PA 19107-3519 Mr. Vernon A. Williams August 26, 2004 Page Two

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

There is no new or additional equipment associated with this filing.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows:

Amendment Agreement No. 2

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$30.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Robert W. Alvord

RWA/anm Enclosures

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**4-20 PM** AMENDMENT AGREEMENT NO. 2

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

in respect of

#### 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Company, the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee and WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, a Delaware banking company, not in its individual capacity but solely as equipment trust trustee under the equipment trust agreement referred to below (the "Equipment Trust Trustee"), have entered into the Participation Agreement dated as of September 15, 1993, as amended by participation agreements supplemental thereto and the 1998 Debt Agreement (as defined below) (such Participation Agreement as so supplemented and amended, the "Participation Agreement"), under which the 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A, of the Company (the "Certificates") were issued;

WHEREAS, the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee have entered into the Trust Agreement dated as of September 15, 1993 (the "Trust Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Owner Trustee as lessor and the Company as lessee have entered into the Lease Agreement dated as of September 15, 1993 as amended by lease agreements supplemental thereto, the Lease and Equipment Trust Agreement Supplement No. 1 dated as of September 28, 1993 and the 1998 Equity Amendment Agreement (as defined below) (such Lease Agreement, as so supplemented and amended, hereinafter referred to as the "Lease Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Company, the Owner Trustee and the Equipment Trust Trustee have entered into the Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of September 15, 1993 as amended by equipment trust agreements supplemental thereto, the Lease and Equipment Trust Agreement Supplement No. 1 dated as of September 28, 1993 and the 1998 Debt Amendment Agreement (such Equipment Trust Agreement, as so supplemented and amended, being hereinafter referred to as the "Equipment Trust Agreement");

WHEREAS, the Company, the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee and the Equipment Trust Trustee have entered into an amendment agreement dated as of August 25, 1998 (the "1998 Debt Amendment Agreement"), pursuant to which the Participation Agreement and the Equipment Trust Agreement were amended to, among other things, allow the conveyances, transfers, leases and subleases contemplated by the Transaction Agreement;

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WHEREAS, the Company, the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee have entered into an amendment agreement dated as of August 25, 1998 (the "1998 Equity Amendment Agreement") pursuant to which the Lease Agreement was amended to, among other things, allow the conveyances, transfers, leases and subleases contemplated by the Transaction Agreement (as such term is defined in the Lease Agreement);

WHEREAS, Section 8.01(b) of Supplement No. 1 dated September 15, 1993 to the Equipment Trust Agreement provides that, subject to certain conditions, the Company and the Owner Trustee may amend certain terms and provisions of the Lease Agreement, including Section 7 therein, without the consent of any Holder of the outstanding Certificates;

WHEREAS, the Company, the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee, at the direction and with the consent of the Owner Participant, wish to enter into this Amendment Agreement, pursuant to which the Lease Agreement, the Participation Agreement and the Equipment Trust Agreement will be amended to, among other things, allow the conveyances, transfers, leases and subleases contemplated by the Distribution Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Company and the Equipment Trust Trustee, upon completion of the solicitation of the holders of the Certificates, expect to enter into a separate Amendment Agreement No. 2, pursuant to which the Participation Agreement and the Equipment Trust Agreement will be similarly amended to, among other things, allow the conveyances, transfers and subleases contemplated by the Distribution Agreement (the "Debt Amendment Agreement").

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the agreements contained herein and for other consideration, the adequacy and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

#### **AMENDMENTS**

SECTION 1.1. Appendix A to the Lease Agreement is hereby amended by deleting the following defined terms therefrom:

"Conrail Group".

SECTION 1.2. Appendix A to the Participation Agreement is hereby amended by deleting the following defined terms therefrom:

"Excluded Conveyance" and "Indebtedness".

SECTION 1.3. Appendix A to the Lease Agreement is hereby amended by adding thereto the following defined terms:

""Distribution Agreement" means the distribution agreement set forth as Exhibit 4 to the STB Petition, as the same may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (it being understood and agreed that any such amendment, modification or supplement would not have an adverse effect on the

benefits available to and the rights and interests of the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee or the Equipment Trust Trustee under the Operative Documents), to be entered into among the Company, Conrail Inc., Green Acquisition Corp., CRR Holdings LLC, CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., CSX Rail Holding Corporation, CSX Northeast Holding Corporation, New York Central Lines LLC, Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company and Pennsylvania Lines LLC.

"Newco" means each of NYC Newco, Inc. (a wholly owned subsidiary of CSX Transportation, Inc.), PRR Newco, Inc. (a wholly owned subsidiary of Norfolk Southern Railway Company) and any respective successor to either thereof.

"Restructuring Transaction" means the transfer of the Lessee's ownership interest in (a) Pennsylvania Lines LLC to Norfolk Southern Railway Company and (b) New York Central Lines LLC to CSX Transportation, Inc., including any related conveyance, transfer, lease, sublease, full and unconditional guarantee, transfer of stock, transfer of membership interests in a limited liability company, issuance of stock, merger or consolidation described in or contemplated by the Transaction Agreement, the Transaction Agreement Amendment or the Distribution Agreement.

"STB Petition" means the Petition for Supplemental Order dated June 4, 2003 (STB Finance Docket No. 33388 (SUB-No. 94)) filed by CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company, Conrail Inc. and the Company with the United States Surface Transportation Board.

"Transaction Agreement Amendment" means the amendment to the Transaction Agreement set forth as Exhibit E to the Distribution Agreement, as the same may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (it being understood and agreed that any such amendment, modification or supplement would not have an adverse effect on the benefits available to and the rights and interests of the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee or the Equipment Trust Trustee under the Operative Documents), to be entered into by and among the Company, Conrail Inc., CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company and CRR Holdings LLC."

SECTION 1.4. The second and third paragraphs of Section 7(c) of the Lease Agreement are hereby deleted in their entirety and amended to read as follows:

"Lessee will not, and will not permit any Affiliate to, agree to any amendment to the Transaction Agreement (or to any other agreement contemplated by or entered into pursuant to the Transaction Agreement) that would (i) reduce the total amounts payable by CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation and Norfolk Southern

Railway Company to the Lessee, either of the LLCs and either of the Newcos in the aggregate under the Transaction Agreement (and all agreements contemplated thereby or entered into pursuant thereto) to a level, in respect of any period, which is insufficient to service Lessee's outstanding debt and rental obligations in respect of such period, taking into account cash available to the Lessee, either of the LLCs or either of the Newcos from all other sources to service such obligations, or (ii) materially modify the intended leasing and subleasing structure set forth in the Distribution Agreement and the Transaction Agreement Amendment.

Except for the Restructuring Transaction, Lessee agrees that neither it nor any Affiliate of Lessee will agree to or permit any other restructuring pursuant to Section 8.9 of the Transaction Agreement without the prior written consent of Lessor (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld)."

SECTION 1.5. Section 7 of the Lease Agreement is hereby amended by adding the following:

"Section 7 (e) <u>Merger of the Company</u>. The Company shall not consolidate with or merge into any other Person or convey, transfer or lease all or substantially all its assets to any Person, whether in a single transaction or a series of related transactions, unless:

- (i) (A) the successor (1) shall be a "railroad" within the meaning of Title 11 of the United States Code or (2) shall be the Company and (B) such successor, in the event such successor shall not be the Company, shall have executed and delivered to the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee an agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to each of them containing an assumption by such successor of the due and punctual performance and observance of each agreement and condition of this Agreement and every other Operative Document to which the Company is a party,
- (ii) immediately after giving effect to such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease, no Event of Default or Potential Default shall have occurred and be continuing, and
- (iii) such successor shall have delivered to the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee, in the event such successor shall not be the Company, an Officer's Certificate of such corporation and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease and the assumption agreement mentioned in clause (i) above have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by such successor and constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of such successor enforceable against it in accordance with their respective terms (subject to customary qualifications as to the rights of creditors and equitable considerations) and do not require any shareholder approval or

the approval or consent of any trustee or holders of any indebtedness or obligations of such successor (except for approval(s) and consent(s) which have been duly obtained and are in full force and effect on the date of such opinion and copies of which have been supplied to the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee) and as to the continued applicability of Section 1168 after giving effect to such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease.

Upon any consolidation or merger, or any conveyance, transfer or lease of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company in accordance with clauses (i) through (iii) of this Section 7(e), the successor referred to in clause (i) of this Section 7(e) which is the successor formed by such consolidation or into which the Company is merged or to which such conveyance, transfer or lease is made, shall succeed to, and be substituted for, and may exercise every right and power of, the Company, under this Agreement and the other Operative Documents to which the Company is a party, with the same effect as if such successor had been named as the Company herein and therein. The Company shall reimburse the Owner Trustee and the Owner Participant, on an After-Tax Basis, for all reasonable out-of-pocket costs (including reasonable attorneys' fees) and expenses incurred by the Owner Trustee and the Owner Participant in connection with a consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease by the Company hereunder, including any amendments to this Agreement or any other Operative Document required in connection with this Section 7(e)."

SECTION 1.6. Section 11(d) of the Participation Agreement is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Merger, Consolidation. Lessee shall not consolidate with or merge into any other Person or convey, transfer or lease all or substantially all of its assets as an entirety to any Person, whether in a single transaction or a series of related transactions, other than in accordance with Section 13.02 of the Basic Agreement, as amended by (i) the Amendment Agreement in respect of 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A, dated as of August 25, 1998 and (ii) Amendment Agreement No. 2 in respect of 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A with respect to the Restructuring Transaction."

SECTION 1.7. Section 11(f) of the Participation Agreement is hereby deleted in its entirety and amended to read as follows:

"Section 11(f). [Intentionally Omitted.]"

SECTION 1.8. Appendix A to the Equipment Trust Agreement is hereby amended by adding thereto the following defined terms in their entirety as set forth below:

""Distribution Agreement" means the distribution agreement set forth as Exhibit 4 to the STB Petition, as the same may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (it being understood and agreed that any such

amendment, modification or supplement would not have an adverse effect on the benefits available to and the rights and interests of the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee or the Equipment Trust Trustee under the Operative Documents), to be entered into among the Company, Conrail Inc., Green Acquisition Corp., CRR Holdings LLC, CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., CSX Rail Holding Corporation, CSX Northeast Holding Corporation, New York Central Lines LLC, Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company and Pennsylvania Lines LLC.

"Restructuring Transaction" means the transfer of the Company's ownership interest in (a) Pennsylvania Lines LLC to Norfolk Southern Railway Company and (b) New York Central Lines LLC to CSX Transportation, Inc., including any related conveyance, transfer, lease, sublease, full and unconditional guarantee, transfer of stock, transfer of membership interests in a limited liability company, issuance of stock, merger or consolidation described in or contemplated by the Transaction Agreement, the Transaction Agreement Amendment or the Distribution Agreement.

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"Transaction Agreement Amendment" means the amendment to the Transaction Agreement set forth as Exhibit E to the Distribution Agreement, as the same may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time (it being understood and agreed that any such amendment, modification or supplement would not have an adverse effect on benefits available to and the rights and interests of the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee or the Equipment Trust Trustee under the Operative Documents), to be entered into by and among the Company, Conrail Inc., CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company and CRR Holdings LLC."

SECTION 1.9. Section 13.02 of the Equipment Trust Agreement is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(d) Merger of the Company. The Company shall not consolidate with or merge into any other Person or convey, transfer or lease all or substantially all of its assets as an entirety to any Person, whether in a single transaction or a series of related transactions, unless (i) such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease shall not have a material adverse effect on the benefits available to the Owner Participant, the Owner Trustee or the Equipment Trust Trustee pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1168 and (ii) immediately after giving effect to such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease, no Event of Acceleration or Potential Acceleration shall have occurred or be continuing."

#### ARTICLE II

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

- SECTION 2.1. Unless otherwise indicated, capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meanings ascribed to them in Appendix A to the Lease Agreement as amended hereby.
- SECTION 2.2. Except as amended hereby, the Operative Documents are in all respects ratified and confirmed, and all of the terms, provisions and conditions thereof shall be and remain in full force and effect.
- SECTION 2.3. If any provision of this Amendment Agreement shall be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.
- SECTION 2.4. This Amendment Agreement shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of New York.
- SECTION 2.5. The Owner Participant hereby authorizes and directs the Owner Trustee to execute and deliver this Amendment Agreement pursuant to the terms of the Trust Agreement.
- SECTION 2.6. This Amendment Agreement shall not be effective against the Owner Trustee unless and until executed by the Owner Participant.
- SECTION 2.7. This Amendment Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.
- SECTION 2.8. This Amendment Agreement is dated the date first set forth above. The provisions of this Amendment Agreement as they relate to the Lease Agreement shall be effective upon the execution hereof by all the parties hereto.
- The provisions of this Amendment Agreement as they relate to the Participation Agreement and Equipment Trust Agreement shall be effective only (i) upon the execution hereof by all the parties hereto, (iii) by the execution of the Debt Amendment Agreement by both of the parties thereto, (iii) by the delivery to the Owner Trustee of a certificate, substantially in the form of Annex I hereto, by each of CSX Corporation, Norfolk Southern Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Railway Company, NYC Newco, Inc. and PRR Newco, Inc., (iv) by the delivery to the Owner Trustee of an officer's certificate, substantially in the form of Annex II hereto, by an officer of the Company, (v) by recordation with the U.S. Surface Transportation Board of this Amendment Agreement, the Debt Amendment Agreement and executed copies of each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents other than the Distribution Agreement and the Transaction Agreement Amendment, (vi) upon delivery to the Owner Trustee of opinions of John Broder, Vice President General Counsel of the Company, Peter J. Schudtz, internal counsel of CSX Transportation, Inc., and James A. Squires, internal counsel of Norfolk Southern Railway Company, substantially to the effect set forth in Annexes III, IV and V,

respectively and (vii) upon delivery to the Owner Participant of executed copies of the Distribution Agreement and the Transaction Agreement Amendment.

SECTION 2.9. The Company represents and warrants to the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee that:

- (i) the Company is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with full corporate power and authority to enter into this Amendment Agreement and each of the documents set forth in Appendix A to Annex II hereto (the "Conrail Restructuring Documents");
- (ii) this Amendment Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company and, subject to the effectiveness provisions of Section 2.8 hereof, this Amendment Agreement constitutes a legal, valid and binding agreement of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with its terms;
- (iii) each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents will be duly and validly authorized by all necessary corporate action by the Company and, upon execution and delivery of each such agreement and subject to the effectiveness provisions of Section 2.8 hereof, each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents will constitute a legal, valid and binding agreement of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their respective terms;
- (iv) immediately after giving effect to the transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Transaction, no Event of Default or Potential Default under the Lease Agreement shall have occurred and be continuing; and
- (v) except for those terms to be amended pursuant to this Amendment Agreement, the execution, delivery and performance of the Amendment Agreement and each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents and the consummation of the Restructuring Transaction do not or will not contravene, conflict with or violate or result in any violation of, or constitute a default under, or create any lien (other than the liens created by all of the sublease assignments and reassignments contemplated in the Restructuring Transaction) under (1) the provisions of any of the Operative Documents including, but not limited to, Section 11 of the Lease Agreement or any agreement, mortgage, indenture, lease or other instrument by which the Company or its properties or assets are bound or (2) any applicable law or any provision of the certificate of incorporation, by-laws or other organizational documents of the Company or, in any material respect, any applicable law.

SECTION 2.10. Notwithstanding the provision set forth in Section 1.5 of this Amendment Agreement, the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee each hereby acknowledge and agree that the Company is permitted to consummate the Restructuring Transaction, which includes the transfers described in or contemplated by the Conrail Restructuring Documents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment Agreement to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

## CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

Ву	Name: Frile:
ME	TLIFE CAPITAL, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
Ву:	Metropolitan Asset Management Corporation, as General Partner
By:	Name: Title:
	ACHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL SOCIATION, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee
By:	Name:

STATE OF	NY	)	
COUNTY OF	NY	)	SS

On this 2 day of NGUY, 2004 before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared on than M. Broder to me known who being duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she is a general county. Correct the foregoing instrument, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto by like authority.

Sworn to before me this 12th day of ANGUST, 2004

[Notarial Seal]

Notary Public COMMISSION EXPIRES

> LAUREN M. ADLER KATZ NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York No. 01AD6012441 Qualified in New York County Commission Expires Aug. 31, 2006

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment Agreement to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

# CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

Ву:	
	Name: Title:
ME	TLIFE CAPITAL, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
Ву:	Metropolitan Asset Management Corporation, as General Partner
Ву:	Name: Corber Mulphy Title: Vice President
	CHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL SOCIATION, not in its individual capacity but solely as Owner Trustee
Ву:	Name: Title:

STATE OF DEW JENS	4 ) Ss:
COUNTY OF MOYY'S	
On this /4" day of June	, 300 before me, a notary public within and for said

On this 4 day of June, 2004 before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared Conor Murphy to me known who being duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she is a <u>Vice President</u> of Metufe, one of the corporations or companies described in and which executed the foregoing instrument, and that he/she signed his/her name thereto by like authority.

Sworn to before me this 14th day of June, 2004

[Notarial Seal]

COMMISSION EXPIRES

Dawn Marie Papson Notary Public of New Jersey My Commission Expires April 1, 2009 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment Agreement to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

## CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

Ву:	
•	Name:
	Title:
ME	TLIFE CAPITAL, LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
By:	Metropolitan Asset Management Corporation, as General Partner
By:	
•	Name:
	Title:
	CHOVIA BANK, NATIONAL
ASS	SOCIATION,
	not in its individual capacity but solely
	as Owner Trustee
By:	Mund
-,.	Name: C. HROMYCH Title: Vice President

STATE OF Pennsylvania	)	
COUNTY OF Philadelphia	)	ss:

On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2001 before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared C. HROMYCH, to me known who being duly sworm did depose and say that he she is a president of achovia Bank, National of the corporations or companies described in and which executed the foregoing instrument, and that he she signed his her name thereto by like authority.

Sworn to before me this  $2 \frac{n^{-1}}{2}$  day of  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{n^{-1}}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{n^{-1}}{2}$ 

[Notarial Seal]

Notary Public

**COMMISSION EXPIRES** 

NOTARIAL SEAL AIDA B. DALES-PAYANO, Notary Public Ctty of Philadelphia, Phila. County My Commission Expires November 21, 2006

#### [NAME OF RAILROAD/PARENT]

#### **OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE**

The undersigned, [ ], [ ] of [[Name of Parent], a Virginia corporation ("Parent"), the sole shareholder of] [Name of Railroad], a Virginia corporation ("Railroad"), DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, as the [ ] of the Parent/Railroad and not in his personal capacity, in connection with the subleases of railroad equipment, assumption agreements and other related agreements set forth in Appendix A hereto (collectively, the "Restructuring Documents") (capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in the Restructuring Documents) that:

- 1. each of the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party has been duly authorized and approved by the Board of Directors of the Railroad (and executed and delivered by the Railroad pursuant to such authority) and does not require any stockholder approval or the approval or consent of, or notice to, any trustee or holders of any indebtedness or obligations of [insert the Parent or the Railroad, as applicable] other than those obtained prior to the date hereof and other than those contemplated in the Restructuring Transaction:
- 2. the below named persons, who include all persons who, as officers of the Railroad, executed and delivered each Restructuring Document to which the Railroad is or will become a party and each other document, certificate and instrument being delivered by the Railroad on the date hereof pursuant to or as contemplated by such Restructuring Documents, were duly elected (or appointed), qualified and acting as such officers holding their respective offices below set opposite their names, were duly authorized to take such action and the signatures below set opposite their names are their genuine signatures;
- 3. each of the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party constitutes a legal, valid and binding agreement of the Railroad, enforceable against the Railroad in accordance with its terms;
- 4. the Railroad is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia;
- 5. all material taxes and fees incurred in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party have, to the best knowledge of the undersigned, been paid or, if not paid, arrangements have been made to effectuate such payment;

- 6. no consent, authorization, or approval of any federal, state or other governmental agency, authority or instrumentality of the United States or any jurisdiction therein or any other jurisdiction, other than those obtained prior to the date hereof, is required in connection with the Restructuring Transaction or the execution, delivery and performance by the Railroad of the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party, except where the failure to obtain any such consent, authorization or approval would not have a material adverse effect on the rights of the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee under the Operative Documents;
- 7. the consummation of the Restructuring Transactions and the execution, delivery and performance by the Railroad of the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party do not or will not contravene, conflict with or violate or result in any violation of, or constitute a default under, or create any lien (other than the liens created by all of the sublease assignments and reassignments contemplated in the Restructuring Transaction) under any applicable law or contravene, conflict with or violate any provision of the certificate of incorporation, by-laws or other organizational documents of the Railroad or any agreement, mortgage, indenture, lease or other instrument by which the Company or its properties or assets are bound; and
- 8. no action, suit or proceeding by or before any court or governmental agency, authority, or body or any arbitrator involving the Railroad or its subsidiaries, in connection with any of the Restructuring Documents to which the Railroad is or will become a party, is pending that if adversely determined would reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Railroad to perform its obligations under such Restructuring Documents.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Office</u>	Signature
2004.	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed thi	s certificate as of the [ ] day of [ ],
		[NAME OF RAILROAD]
		[Name] [Title]
has been duly the Railroad, a	I, [ ], [ ] of the Railroad, DO elected (or appointed) and has duly qualified, and the signature above is his/her genuine sign	HEREBY CERTIFY that [ ] and on this day is, of nature.
] day of [ ].	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I 1 2004.	have signed this certificate as of this [
		[NAME OF RAILROAD]
		[Name] [Title]

#### [NAME OF NEWCO]

#### SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, [ ], Secretary of [Newco], a Virginia corporation ("Newco"), DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, as the Secretary of Newco and not in his/her personal capacity, in connection with the subleases of railroad equipment, trust agreements, assignment and assumption agreements and other related agreements set forth in Appendix A hereto to which [Newco] is a party (collectively, the "Newco Documents") (capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed thereto in the Newco Documents) that:

- 1. each of the Newco Documents has been duly authorized and approved by the Board of Directors of Newco; and
- 2. the below named persons, who include all persons who, as officers of Newco, executed and delivered each of the Newco Documents and each other document, certificate and instrument being delivered on the date hereof pursuant to or as contemplated by the Newco Documents, were duly elected (or appointed), qualified and acting as such officers holding their respective offices below set opposite their names, were duly authorized to take such action and the signatures below set opposite their names are their genuine signatures.

Name	Office	Signature
	Secretary	
IN [ ], 2004.	WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed thi	s certificate as of the [ ] day of [NAME OF NEWCO]
		[Name] Secretary
	], [ ] of Newco, DO sted (or appointed) and has duly qualified, gnature above is his/her genuine signature	
[ ] day of [	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I	have signed this certificate as of the
		[NAME OF NEWCO]
		[Name] [Title]

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# [Documents to be certified by CSXT.]

Sublease of Railroad Equipment between Consolidated Rail Corporation, sublessor, and NYC Newco, sublessee, covering the equipment in the transaction allocated to NYC
Assumption Agreement by CSX Transportation, Inc., in respect of NYC Newco's sublease from Consolidated Rail Corporation
Memorandum of Sublease and Assignment, stamped to show recordation with the United States Surface Transportation Board
NYC-581
Sublease of Railroad Equipment between Consolidated Rail Corporation, sublessor, and NYC Newco, Inc., sublessee, covering the equipment in the transaction allocated to NYC.
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PRR-693
[Documents to be certified by NSR.]
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Amended Transaction Agreement by and among CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company, Conrail Inc., Consolidated Rail Corporation and CRR Holdings LLC

# CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE

The undersigned. [ ].	. [ ], on behalf of	f Consolidated Rail Corporation, a
Pennsylvania corporation (the "Company		
Agreement No. 2 (the "Amendment Agre		
Company, METLIFE CAPITAL, LIMITI		
(the "Owner Participant"), and WACHOV		
in interest to Meridian Trust Company), n		
(the "Owner Trustee"), hereby certifies th	at, as of the date here	of and after reasonable
investigation:		

- (i) no event or condition has occurred and is continuing, or would result from the consummation of any transaction contemplated by the Amendment Agreement, that constitutes a Default or an Event of Default under the Lease Agreement;
- (ii) each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents set forth in Appendix A hereto has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Company and constitutes a legal, valid and binding agreement of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with its terms and does not require any stockholder approval or the approval or consent of, or notice to, any trustee or holders of any indebtedness or obligations of the Company other than those obtained prior to the date hereof and other than those contemplated in the Restructuring Transaction;
- (iii) no consent, authorization, or approval of any federal, state or other governmental agency, authority or instrumentality of the United States or any jurisdiction therein or any other jurisdiction, other than those obtained prior to the date hereof, is required in connection with the Restructuring Transaction or the execution, delivery and performance of the Amendment Agreement and the Conrail Restructuring Documents, except where the failure to obtain any such consent, authorization or approval would not have a material adverse effect on the rights of the Owner Participant and the Owner Trustee under the Operative Documents;
- (iv) except for those terms to be amended pursuant to the Amendment Agreement, the execution, delivery and performance of the Amendment Agreement and each of the Conrail Restructuring Documents and the consummation of the Restructuring Transaction do not or will not contravene, conflict with or violate or result in any violation of, or constitute a default under, or create any lien (other than the liens created by all of the sublease assignments and reassignments contemplated in the Restructuring Transaction) under (1) the provisions of any of the Operative Documents including, but not limited to, Section 11 of the Lease Agreement or any agreement, mortgage, indenture, lease or other instrument by which the Company or its properties or assets are bound or (2) any applicable law or any provision of the certificate of incorporation, by-laws or other organizational documents of the Company;

- (v) all material taxes and fees incurred in connection with the Restructuring Transaction have, to the best knowledge of the undersigned, been paid or, if not paid, arrangements have been made to effectuate such payment;
- (vi) no action, suit or proceeding by or before any court or governmental agency, authority or body or any arbitrator involving the Company or its subsidiaries, in connection with any of the Contrail Restructuring Documents, is pending that if adversely determined would reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Company to perform its obligations under the Conrail Restructuring Documents;
- (vii) the below named persons, who include all persons who, as officers of the Company, executed and delivered each Conrail Restructuring Document to which the Company is or will become a party and each other document, certificate and instrument being delivered by the Company on the date hereof pursuant to or as contemplated by such Conrail Restructuring Documents, were duly elected (or appointed), qualified and acting as such officers holding their respective offices below set opposite their names, were duly authorized to take such action and the signatures below set opposite their names are their genuine signatures; and
- (viii) the Company has kept and maintained each Conrail Restructuring Document set forth in Appendix A hereto and all amounts payable thereunder free and clear of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances, except (a) any thereof arising from, through or under any of the Conrail Transaction Documents, and (b) the assignment for security of the leasehold interest of the applicable sublessee contemplated by each such sublease.

Capitalized terms used herein without definition shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Amendment Agreement.

<u>Name</u>	Office	Signature
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Sublease of Railroad Equipment between Consolidated Rail Corporation, sublessor, and NYC Newco, sublessee, covering the equipment in the transaction allocated to NYC	1
Assumption Agreement by CSX Transportation, Inc., in respect of NYC Newco's sublease from Consolidated Rail Corporation	2
Assignment of Sublease between Consolidated Rail Corporation, assignor, and Wachovia Bank, National Association (successor to Meridian Trust Company), as trustee, assignee, in respect of the NYC Newco sublease	3
Memorandum of Sublease and Assignment, stamped to show recordation with the United States Surface Transportation Board	4
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Sublease of Railroad Equipment between Consolidated Rail Corporation, sublessor, and PRR Newco, sublessee, covering the equipment in the transaction allocated to PRR	5
Assumption Agreement by Norfolk Southern Railway Company, in respect of PRR Newco's sublease from Consolidated Rail Corporation	6
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General
Distribution Agreement by and among CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., CSX Rail Holding Corporation, CSX Northeast Holding Corporation, New York Central Lines LLC, Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company, Pennsylvania Lines LLC, Conrail Inc., Green Acquisition Corp., Consolidated Rail Corporation and CRR Holdings LLC
Amended Transaction Agreement by and among CSX Corporation, CSX Transportation, Inc., Norfolk Southern Corporation, Norfolk Southern Railway Company, Conrail Inc., Consolidated Rail Corporation and CRR Holdings LLC
Debt Amendment Agreement between Consolidated Rail Corporation and Wilmington Trust Company as equipment trust trustee, amending certain provisions of the equipment trust agreement and the participation agreement relating to the issuance of the 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A
Equity Amendment Agreement among Consolidated Rail Corporation, MetLife Capital, Limited Partnership as owner participant and Wachovia Bank, National Association as owner trustee, amending certain provisions of the lease agreement, equipment trust agreement and participation agreement relating to the issuance of the 1993 Equipment Trust Certificates, Series A
Amendment Agreement L581 among Consolidated Rail Corporation as lessee, MetLife Capital, Limited Partnership as beneficiary and U.S. Bank, National Association as lessor amending certain provisions of that certain lease agreement

Annex III

Form of opinion of John Broder, Vice President – General Counsel of Conrail

[See separate form to be delivered by Conrail]

## Annex IV

Form of opinion of Peter J. Schudtz, internal counsel of CSX Transportation, Inc.

[See separate form to be delivered by the railroads.]

Form of opinion of James A. Squires, internal counsel of Norfolk Southern Railway Company

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